

Crawford Co. Directory.

CRAWFORD COUNTY OFFICERS.
 Sheriff..... J. F. Hall.
 Clerk..... O. J. Bell.
 Register..... Wm. Putnam.
 Treasurer..... A. M. F. Davis.
 Prob. Attorney..... A. H. Swarthout.
 Judge of Probate..... A. Taylor.
 C. C. Court..... M. J. Connine.
 Surveyor..... E. Newman.
 Coroners, W. H. Sherman & W. Haynes.
SUPERVISORS.
 Supervisor..... Wm. C. Johnson.
 Supervisor..... Jacob Stecker.
 Supervisor..... T. E. Hastings.
 Supervisor..... J. M. Finn.
 Supervisor..... W. C. Johnson.
 Supervisor..... J. M. Finn.
 Supervisor..... W. C. Johnson.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

M. E. Church, Rev. B. F. For-
 myth, Pastor. Services at 11 o'clock,
 A. M., and 1-2 past 7 o'clock P. M.
 Sunday School at 12 M. All are cor-
 dially invited to attend.

GRAYLING LODGE, No. 356, F. & A.
 M., meets in regular communication on
 Thursday Evening, on or before the
 full of the moon. Transient members
 are fraternally invited to attend.
 J. O. HADLEY, W. M.
 A. TAYLOR, Sec.

MARVIN POST, G. A. R., No. 240,
 meets the 2nd Saturday in each month.
 J. J. COVETRY, Post Com.
 J. J. COVETRY, Adj.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

MRS. T. W. MITCHELL & CO.,
 Milliner and Dress-maker,
 GRAYLING, MICH.

A. H. SWARTHOUT.

ATTORNEY AT LAW.
 Agent for Pine and Farming Lands,
 Village Property—Roffee's Addition to
 Grayling—Fire and Life Insurance,
 Money Lender.
 GRAYLING, MICH.

Attorney at Law,

GRAYLING, MICH.

F. F. THATCHER, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon.
 Office in Dr. Towner's Store. Residence first
 door East of Court House.

Grayling House,

Wild & Wheeler, Prop's.

The Grayling House is conveniently
 situated, being near the depot and
 business houses, is newly built, and
 every attention will be paid to the
 comfort of guests. Fine sample rooms
 for commercial travelers.
 GRAYLING, MICHIGAN.

O. Palmer, Justice of the Peace and Notary.
 Collections, Conveyancing, Payment of Taxes,
 and Purchase and Sale of Real Estate promptly
 attended to. Office on corner of Michigan and
 Postoffice Avenue, opposite the Court House,
 Grayling.

HANSON HOUSE,

Grayling, Mich.
 THOS. E. HANSON, Prop'r.

This house is located conveniently near to the
 Depot, and Business Houses. Every attention
 will be paid to the comfort of guests. Fine
 State just across the street, where Tourists,
 Hunters and others can procure rigs to take
 them to any part of the county.
 May 29, '84.

A. E. NEWMAN,

COUNTY SURVEYOR,
 GRAYLING, MICH.

Pine timber lands looked after, cor-
 rect estimates given, Trespassing esti-
 mated and collected, Surveying done
 in all its branches.

DAVID BEARD,

TONSorial ARTIST,
 GRAYLING, MICH.

SHAVING and Hair Cutting done in the latest
 style, and to the satisfaction of all who
 patronize. Office on Michigan Avenue and Railroad St.
 June 19, '84.

E. PURCHASE,

Proprietor of

CITY LIVERY STABLE.

First-class rigs to let at all hours at
 reasonable prices. Day and from
 Portage Lake to Sault Ste. Marie, leaving
 the Grayling House at 8 a. m. and 2 p.
 m., returning 12 m. and 6 p. m.

T. A. DEAN,

Notary Public,
 FREDERICKVILLE, MICH.

General conveyancing, deeds, mort-
 gages, contracts, etc., promptly attend-
 ed to. Office at residence.

N. OLESON'S

BILLIARD AND POOL

THE MONARCH

PARLORS,

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN.

The choicest Wines, Liquors
 and the best 7 and 10-cent Cigars con-
 stantly on hand.

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SOLDIERS AND SAILOR'S REUNION,
VANDERBILT, MICH., July 30th 1884.
SIXTH ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT.

PROGRAMME.

Members of Lyons Post, G. A. R., will meet visiting comrades on arrival
 of trains, and escort them to camp.

At 7:30 A. M. the tents will be pitched and headquarters established.
 8:30 A. M., Reading of Orders.

9 A. M., Guard Mounting.

9:30 to 12 M., Camp Fire—Renewing acquaintance. Singing the old
 songs and recounting the incidents of bivouac, march and battle-field.

12 M., Dinner Call. Bill of Fare: Pork, Beans, Hard Tack, Coffee,
 etc. The etc. depends on the success of foraging parties.

1 P. M., Music—Band.

PRAYER—Rev. A. Van Aukin.

Address of Welcome, by Col. John G. Barry.

Response by O. Palmer, President of the Union.

Music—Band.

Song—Glee Club. "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground."

Tests and responses as follows:

The flag for which we fought—Comrade W. H. Smith.

Song—"Rally round the flag."

The Canteen and its uses—Comrade A. J. Rose.

Song—"We drink from the same Canteen."

Song—"They rest in peace."

The G. A. R.—Comrade A. J. Taylor.

Music—Band.

The Sick Call—Surgeon N. L. Parimeter.

MARITAL MUSIC—The Sick Call.

The Heroines of the War—Rev. A. Van Aukin.

Song—"Mary had a little lamb."

A Soldier's Rations—Comrade J. J. Coventry.

Song—"Red, White and Blue."

The Boys of '61—Comrade E. S. Dickinson.

Song—"Marching through Georgia."

Our Citizen Soldiers—Comrade J. S. Andrews.

Song—"Trump, Trump, Trump the boys are marching."

5:00 P. M., Guard mount and dress parade.

5:30 " Supper-Call—Menu—What was left from dinner.

6:30 " Roll Call and Retire.

In the Evening, Moore Post No. 61, G. A. R., of Gaylord, will give a
 dramatic entertainment at the Town Hall.

FOR PRESIDENT,

JAS. G. BLAINE

OF MAINE.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,

JOHN A. LOGAN

OF ILLINOIS.

Republican Caucus.

The Republicans of Grayling Town-
 ship are requested to meet in caucus
 at the Township Hall, on Saturday,
 July 20th, at 7 o'clock, P. M., for the
 purpose of selecting seven delegates to
 the County Convention.

N. H. TRAYER,
 R. HANSON,
 MAIN J. CONNINE,
 COMMITTEE.

Republican County Convention.

A republican county convention
 will be held at the Court House in
 Grayling, on Tuesday, July 23, at 2
 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of elect-
 ing delegates as follows: one delegate
 to the State Convention, to be held
 at Detroit, Aug. 13; one delegate to
 the Congressional Convention, tenth
 district, to be called; two delegates
 to the Senatorial Convention 20th dis-
 trict to be called, and two delegates
 to the House Representative District
 Convention, to be called. Each town-
 ship will be entitled to one delegate
 for every twenty votes, or fraction
 thereof.

O. PALMER,
 CHAIRMAN CO. COM.

A. H. SWARTHOUT Sec.

Republican State Convention.

A republican state convention to
 nominate candidates for state officers
 and electors for president and vice-
 president of the United States, and for
 the transaction of other business, will
 be held at Whitney's opera house in the
 city of Detroit at 11 o'clock a. m., on
 Wednesday, August 13, 1884. In ac-
 cordance with resolution adopted at
 Grand Rapids, May 10, 1876, every
 county will be entitled to one dele-
 gate for each 500 of the total vote,
 cast for governor at the last state elec-
 tion (in 1882) and one additional dele-
 gate for every fraction of 200 votes,
 but each organized county will be en-
 titled to at least one delegate. Craw-
 ford county is entitled to but one dele-
 gate.

Tickets to Vanderbilt on July 30th,
 will be sold by all agents on the Mack-
 inac division, at 1 1/2 rates for the round
 trip.

To fuse or not to fuse is the question
 of the hour with the democrats and
 greenbackers.

REPORT OF

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 11, '84.

Board met pursuant to adjournment,
 G. W. Love in the chair.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Moved by Supervisor Johnson that
 the sheriff be instructed to fix the privy
 of the jail, by connecting the waste-
 pipe from old privy to the water
 closet in the jail, and construct a sewer
 to a cess pool outside of the build-
 ing, to be dug fifteen feet deep, and
 four feet across each way, and curbed
 up ten feet, and covered with plank and
 dirt to a level with the surface of the
 level of the ground.

Moved by Supervisor Stecker, as
 an amendment, that the above be
 adopted, except making a cess pool.

Motion as amended adopted by a
 call of ayes and nays, as follows:—

Supervisors Dilley, Hoyt, Johnson,
 Stecker and Love voted aye, and Su-
 pervisors Finn, Jackson and Hastings
 voted nay.

Moved by Supervisor Johnson that
 the chair appoint a committee of two
 to superintend and accept the work
 which the sheriff was instructed to per-
 form.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Johnson that
 the auditor be instructed to make an
 audit of range 1 west, has done great
 damage to bridges in said town. Resolved,
 that said dam be a nuisance and shall
 be removed unless the individuals or
 corporation owning said dam shall pay
 the township of Gray the amount of
 damages done, and also secure said
 township against such damage in the
 future.

Moved by Supervisor Stecker, as an
 amendment, that the above resolution
 be referred to the committee on roads
 and bridges.

Motion lost.

Moved by Supervisor Hoyt that the
 Board of Supervisors of Crawford Co.,
 consider dam 4, located in town 27,
 north, range 1 west, on the North
 Branch of the Anishnabe River a pub-
 lic nuisance. Resolved, that the
 means of destroying bridges on
 said river and should be abated.

The ayes and nays being called, re-
 sulted in the adoption of the motion,
 as appears by the following vote:—

Supervisors Dilley, Hastings, Hoyt,
 Johnson and Love voted aye.

Supervisors Finn, Jackson and
 Stecker voted nay.

Resolved, that all entry fees for cases
 in the Circuit Court since the or-
 ganization of the county be the fees
 of the clerk, and not of the county,
 and continue the same.

J. M. FINN.

Resolution adopted.

Moved by Supervisor Johnson that
 the bill of R. P. Forbes be referred
 back for correction.

Motion lost.

Resolved, that no costs be paid by
 Crawford County, in criminal prosecu-
 tions, unless presented to conviction,
 or bound over to the Circuit Court.

J. M. FINN.

Resolution adopted.

Moved by Supervisor Johnson, that
 the bill of Oscar Palmer be allowed
 as charged.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Johnson, that
 the bill of R. P. Forbes be allowed as
 charged.

Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supervisor Dilley that the
 bill of G. M. P. Davis be allowed as
 charged.

Moved by Supervisor Jackson, that
 the following bills be allowed as charg-
 ed.

Motion prevailed.

P. M. Hoyt, att. on Bd. and stat. \$44.02
 J. M. Finn, " " " 12.00
 G. W. Love, " " " 11.46
 T. E. Hastings, " " & stat. etc. 17.50
 W. C. Johnson, " " " 10.22
 N. S. Dilley, " " & statistics 13.64
 C. Jackson, " " " 13.88
 J. Stecker, " " " 14.36
 Minutes of the day's session read
 and approved.

Moved by Supervisor Hastings that
 we now adjourn, without day.

Motion prevailed.

O. J. BELL, G. W. LOVE,
 Clerk, Chairman.

The Detroit News, says: "Four
 years ago Mal Walker, of Port Huron,
 planted seed in good soil by selling the
 village of Ewart a water works pump to
 reinforce the village water works.
 Now the corporation order a full set of
 the Walker water works machinery."
 Ewart is the most thorough-going town
 in northern Michigan. Its business
 men advertise what they have to sell,
 and are in favor of making any legi-
 provevements that will benefit their vil-
 lage or county. There was less talk
 and advertising for the purpose of get-
 ting their water works put in, than has
 been already expended on our project-
 ed mill.

The free traders, says the New Or-
 leans *Playmate*, (dem.) have never fail-
 ed to meet defeat, except when sailing
 under false colors. In 1844 they seized
 on Polk's doctrine, carried the coun-
 try on it, and then violated their
 pledges not only to Louisiana, but to
 the whole country. They reduced the
 tariff, checked the career of industrial
 prosperity on which the country had
 entered under the protective tariff of
 1842, boasted openly of their approxi-
 mation to free trade, and consequent-
 ly the party lost the next national
 election.

Gov. Hubbard, of Texas, temporary
 chairman of the Chicago democratic
 convention, in his opening speech, after
 flaunting the alleged fraud of 1878 like
 a red flag in front of a mad bull, to ex-
 cite the delegates declared: "That
 the stealing of the presidency was the
 greatest crime in the nation's history."
 Hubbard forgot the democratic rebel-
 lion against the election of Lincoln in
 1860, and the half million lives and
 thousands of millions' sacrificed and
 expended to put it down; he forgot
 Andersonville's horrors and the shame-
 less cruelties practised in other south-
 ern prisons; he forgot the murder of
 Abraham Lincoln; he forgot slavery
 and his horrible results, and expressed
 only the southern democrat's pervers-
 ity. "All other words," he said, "are
 all its horrors, assassination with its
 hidden and ever-present menace, are
 rated as lighter than the counting in of
 Haynes as president by a tribunal de-
 vised by the democrats themselves.
 What good can come from a party
 which places such a light estimate up-
 on the great crime of slavery, rebellion
 and assassination?—*Bay City Tribune*.

Education.

I do not think it can be impressed on
 the mind of teachers too forcibly, or
 too frequently, the necessity of thor-
 oughness in the pupil. It is a general
 fault, in my experience as teacher and
 inspector of schools, to find pupils
 struggling in deeper water than they
 could touch bottom, and were still un-
 der way. "All other words," they
 were advanced in their book and stud-
 ies, when not yet fully conversant
 with the rudiments. I have frequent-
 ly seen pupils painfully musing
 through a Fifth Reader when they
 were eminently more qualified for the
 Third.

It seems to be characteristic of
 Young America to see how much
 ground they can cover without re-
 gard to the thoroughness of the work.
 And this trait is by no means confined
 to educational things. You will find
 it in agricultural pursuits and in me-
 chanical works. Small farms in the
 old world, where the population is
 densest, yield more profit to the acre
 than with us where there is plenty of
 land. The secret of this is thorough-
 ness in the work and the proper en-
 riching of the soil. The same rule
 can be successfully applied in educa-
 tional matters. A limited education
 with the mind well cultivated and en-
 riched will yield far more of real profit
 financially, and other ways than a
 superficial education, covering a vast
 amount of territory.

I hope all who are interested in the
 education of the young will, so far as
 they can, see that this matter receives
 the utmost attention in their respec-
 tive schools.

Fredericville. T. A. D.

The Grayling Independent, says: "If
 every one who wears a little silver-plat-
 ed (3) spoon on their vest is a green-
 backer, then they are very numerous
 in this section, and we guess they are!"
 We would say they were green all over.

Crawford Co. Avalanche. From a
 personal acquaintance with some of
 the writers of the foregoing comment, we
 have no hesitancy in asserting that for
 "green"ness the latter far exceeds. *In-
 dependent.* As a general thing we do
 not notice personalities, even when
 attacked, but in this case we will have
 to do so, as the attack on us was en-
 tirely uncalled for, and in reply would
 say: First, That we hardly ever in-
 dulge in lake water (3) until it weakens
 our limbs and then deny the charge un-
 der the thin guise of correspondence.
 Second, we may be green, but if he is
 otherwise, we are satisfied, and would
 rather be so than simple, especially the
 simplicity produced by musing in
 too much water from Mullet Lake.
 He may be personally acquainted with
 us, and if so, it must have been in a
 previous state of existence, and un-
 known to us, and more than that from
 what we know of him, (not person-
 ally), and his habits, that we do not
 wish to be acquainted with him.

Gen. Grant has discarded his crutch-
 es. He will soon be able to take part
 in the canvass. "A blast from his bug-
 le is worth a thousand men."

POLITICAL ITEMS.

It is positively announced that But-
 ler will stand as a candidate.

A Blaine and Logan club was organ-
 ized at Harsy, last week.

Hop. Geo. Willard of Battle Creek,
 has come out squarely for Blaine and
 Logan.

Nash calls the Cleveland and Han-
 dricks nominations the "mermaid tick-
 et."

A Blaine and Logan club has been
 organized at East Tawas, with Benja-
 min Richards as president.

Gov. Cleveland's admirers talk of
 purchasing a residence for him at
 Long Branch. Good idea, as he will
 never reside in the White House.

The house committee on elections
 concluded that it had better reconsid-
 er its decision to oust Wilson of Lo-
 wa from his seat. No reason is given,
 but the democratic mind is obtuse
 enough to see that this wholesale steal-
 ing of seats will not benefit them in
 the coming election, even if it is neces-
 sary to have votes in the house that
 they can depend on in an emergency.

Thomas Nast resides at Morris town,
 N. J., where, with his family, his hor-
 ses and his hounds, he manages to get
 as much comfort out of life as a man
 could. Last week a friend told him
 on the cars coming to the city and re-
 marked:

"It's rather strange to see you and
 Mr. Curtis working harmoniously
 against the candidates of the republi-
 can party."

"Yes," said the caricaturist, "but it
 is attended with one great conse-
 quence."

"What is it?"

"That I don't feel half so sick as Mr.
 Curtis does."—*Brooklyn Eagle*.

Vice President.

"Well, Mrs. L.," said Gen. Logan to
 his wife after his nomination for the
 Vice Presidency, "what do you think
 of it?"

"It is not quite what I wanted,
 John, but it's next thing to it, and I
 suppose I'll have to be satisfied."

"Very true, dear, but but it's quite
 a nice position, all the same."

"Yes, and you will go into it with
 the feeling that being Vice President is
 some thing you are used to."

"I don't see how, my dear; I was
 never Vice President."

"John," she remarked, significantly,
 "have you been my husband all these
 years and—"

"Don't mention it. I beg your par-
 don, my love," and John scratched his
 head sheepishly.—*Cincinnati Enquirer*.

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